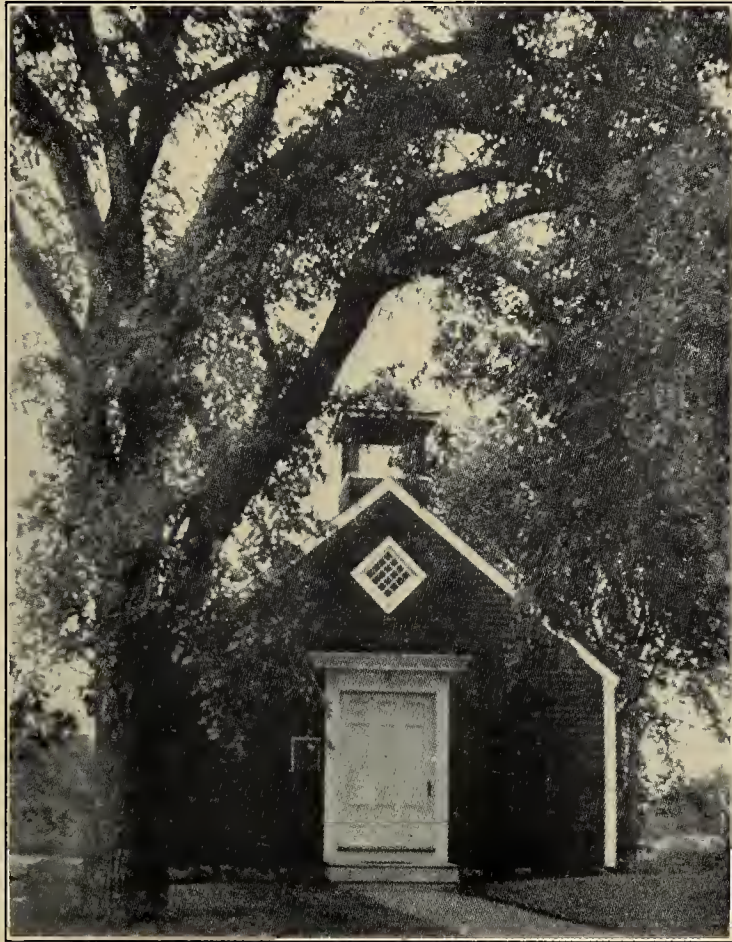


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GOVERNOR DUMMER STUDENTS ENTERTAINED BY WAYNFLETE; WINTER SPORTS FEATURE TRIP

As guests of the Junior and Sophomore classes of the Waynflete School in Portland, Maine, a group of thirty boys and several members of the faculty enjoyed a day of winter sports on Saturday, February 6th.

The first event of the day was luncheon at the school. Here the boys and girls made as much of their first meeting as did the group at the faculty table, where sat Miss Woodruff, principal of the Waynflete School, Mr. and Mrs. Eames, Mr. and Mrs. Stone of Governor Dummer, Mrs. Lucy Barber of the Waynflete faculty, and Mr. and Mrs. Spaulding Bisbee of Portland. Mrs. Stone was a teacher at Waynflete last year.

After luncheon all turned out for skating on the rink. Mr. Bentley directed obstacle and potato races which afforded much amusement for the onlookers. At the sound of a whistle everybody piled into the busses to go to Stroudwater where some of the boys and girls mounted horses while others got into sleighs to go down to the frozen river. At Stroudwater some of the boys and girls ski-jored while others went skating and sleigh riding. The two unique scenes were Mr. and Mrs. Eames' sleigh ride with Mr. Bisbee; and Mr. Lacey on a horse, looking like the monk from *The Canterbury Tales*.

From Stroudwater the boys went to the house of Mr. Bisbee where they changed clothes to go to the tea dance at Waynflete. After an hour and a half of dancing the boys and girls went to the home of John Gannett on Cape Elizabeth where they were received by John's sister, Mrs. Gatchell. There they had a buffet supper which was followed by group singing of college and glee club songs.

The boys who went were: James Dodge, Putnam Flint, Windsor Frost, John Gannett, John Haley, Adrian Hasse, John Hollingsworth, Richard Holt, Loring Hubbell, David Huggins, David Hunter, Arthur Jameson, Donald Kirkpatrick, Nathaniel Lord, Robert Lyle, Edward Noyes, John Pettibone, Richard Phippen, Russell Potter, Thayer Richardson, Hart Rogers, Arthur Rolfe, Wendell Sargent, Edwin Sheffield, Colgate Stockton, Verges Van Wickle, Roland Will, and Allan Woodcock.

WINTER SPORTS WEEK-END AT WATERVILLE VALLEY, N. H., ANNOUNCED BY MR. EAMES

Waterville Valley Inn in the New Hampshire hills, twenty miles north of Plymouth, will be the scene of an unusual school week-end, according to plans announced to the school by Mr. Eames. The school will be host to any boys who wish to go, the only expense to the boys being the special low rate train fare. Present indications are that nearly the entire school will make the trip.

A special train will leave from the Newburyport station at about 3:30 on Friday afternoon, March 12th, arriving at Campton, New Hampshire, at about 9 P. M. Supper will be served on the train, and skis may be rented. Transportation from Campton to the Inn will be by motor.

On Saturday, skiing, skating, tobogganning, and other winter sports will be the order of the day. In the evening, it is hoped, the Olympic skiing pictures will be shown. Boys may sleep or ski on Sunday morning, and the special train will leave for the return trip at about noon, arriving back in time for supper at school and the Vespers service.

In order to make it possible for the Inn to take care of the large group which is expected, and to decrease the expense, boys will wait on table and make the beds. If the weather permits, the Saturday luncheon will probably be a cook-out for the school in the vicinity of the inn.

HARTFIELD AND CARPENTER WIN TIME CURRENT AFFAIRS TEST

A comprehensive test, covering important current affairs of the last half of 1936, was taken by more than forty boys and twelve members of the faculty on Sunday, January 24th. The test, sponsored by *Time* magazine, was prepared by two professors of the University of Minnesota.

Out of a possible 105 points, David Hartfield scored 88 to win the contest. The prize awarded by *Time* is a copy of *Inside Europe* by Gunther. A special prize was won by Peter Carpenter of the Civics class which regularly uses *Time* for class work. Carpenter scored 73 and received Vincent Sheehan's *Personal History* as a prize.

SPEAKERS AT VESPER SERVICE INCLUDE
PALFREY PERKINS, D. W. GREELEY
AND WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY DEAN

At the final Vesper service of the Fall term on December 13th, the Reverend Dana M. Greeley spoke. Mr. Greeley is the minister at the Arlington Street Church, Boston. His text was "Strait is the gate, and narrow is the way which leadeth unto life." The speaker advised against taking the "easiest way" on all occasions.

Mr. J. Halsey Gulick, Headmaster of Proctor Academy, spoke at the first Vespers of the new term on January 10th. Mr. Gulick emphasized the value which can be found in the experiences of other people. Mr. George W. Adams spoke briefly, thanking the school for the Christmas gift from the boys.

On January 17th, Dr. Victor Butterfield, Director of Admissions at Wesleyan University, spoke to the school on the purpose of a college education. Dr. Butterfield advised boys not to think that the first purpose of going to college was to make social contacts and business connections, but he strongly suggested that a boy should consider college an opportunity to intensify intellectual awareness.

At the Vespers service on January 24th, the Reverend Samuel M. LePage, minister of the Byfield Church, spoke on man's awakening to the significance of life.

*Minister of King's Chapel Speaks
on Comradeship*

The Reverend Palfrey Perkins, minister of King's Chapel in Boston, spoke at Vespers on January 31st. Mr. Perkins spoke of the happiness to be had in the comradeship which plays such an important part in school life.

Mr. Howard E. Cox spoke at Vespers on February 7th. Mr. Cox is a student at Harvard Law School, Director of the Hemingway Gymnasium at Harvard and an assistant at Christ Church, Cambridge. He spoke of the enthusiasm with which we undertake the affairs of life as being a real key to success.

GALEN PERRETT'S PAINTINGS
ON DISPLAY IN DINING HALL

Mr. Galen J. Perrett of Rockport is the artist whose paintings are now on exhibition in the dining hall. Son of an English sea captain, Mr. Perrett excels in his oils of surf and off-shore scenes, an outstanding example of these being his painting *She Crossed Our Bow* which is hanging in the present exhibition.

INFORMAL ALUMNI WEEK-END
BRINGS GROUP OF GRADUATES;
ATTEND EVENING MEETING

An informal alumni week-end was planned in connection with the scheduled hockey and basketball games between the alumni and school teams on January 23d. Although the hockey game had to be canceled because of the current spring weather, a group of alumni returned for the basketball game in the evening, arriving in time for the regular evening meeting of the school.

Among those returning were: Aaron Goodale, '36; Percy Goodale, '36; Henry Root, '32; Fred McIntyre, '33; Dick Francis, '36; Bill Mulliken, '35; Buddy Kerr, '34; Bill Murphy, '34; Sarkis Kalaskian, ex-'37; Marshall Sargent, '33; Fred Graf, '31; and Charles Webster, '35. Mr. Navins, '31, of the faculty was also present, and Mr. Francis Reagan, for many years a master at the Academy, was referee of the basketball game between the alumni and the school team.

DONALD MacMILLAN SPEAKS
ON ESKIMO LIFE IN ARCTIC

Commander Donald B. MacMillan, Arctic explorer, lectured in the Noyes Library on Sunday afternoon, January 17th. Mr. MacMillan was introduced by Putnam Flint, whose brother was a member of a MacMillan exploring party a few years ago. Mr. MacMillan's lecture was supplemented by slides showing the life of the Eskimos in the far North. Glaciers and their movements were described, and the speaker explained the reason for there not being much snow at the North Pole, which is the almost complete absence of moisture.

DR. ROEMMERT LECTURES ON
MICROSCOPIC PLANT LIFE

Dr. Georg Roemmert lectured to the school on January 9th, presenting his "micro-vivarium." Using a powerful microscope, Dr. Roemmert projected on a screen images of microscopic plant life. The images, projected through slides of water, were large enough to show clearly the digestive process in living organisms.

One of Dr. Roemmert's most interesting exhibits showed growing sugar crystals. The lecture was the first Saturday evening entertainment to be presented in the new dining hall building.



Photograph by George M. Simson

NIGHT VIEW OF CAMPUS FROM PERKINS HOUSE

This Photograph, Made During the First Snowfall,
Required An Exposure of 1½ Hours.

CAROLINE FAISON'S ENGAGEMENT
TO DANA ALLEN, JR. ANNOUNCED

The engagement of Miss Caroline G. Faison to Mr. J. Dana Allen, Jr., of the faculty was announced on February 6th. Miss Faison is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Faison of 43 Remsen Street, Brooklyn, New York, who announced the engagement at a reception in Brooklyn.

Miss Faison graduated from the Packer Collegiate Institute in 1929 and from Vassar in the class of 1933. Mr. Allen, the son of Mr. J. Dana Allen, Headmaster of Brooklyn Polytechnic Country Day School, and Mrs. Allen, graduated from Brooklyn Polytechnic in 1927 and from Harvard in 1931. At Harvard Mr. Allen was a member of the fencing team. Speakers Club, and Hasty Pudding-Institute.

Among those present at the reception were Mr. Thomas Mercer of the faculty, and Mr. Richard Hearn and Mr. Charles Brodhead, both former masters at the Academy.

At Governor Dummer Mr. Allen teaches German and is assistant coach of football and hockey. He is the master in charge of the second floor of Peirce Hall.

HASSE LEADS HONOR ROLLS
FOR DECEMBER AND JANUARY

The honor rolls for the months of December and January contain the names of seven boys who have made each roll of the school year so far. These are indicated by asterisks.

DECEMBER HONOR ROLL

<i>First Honors</i>	<i>Second Honors</i>
Adrian Hasse*	Hugh Byfield
Edwin Sheffield*	Robert Cox
Robert Lyle*	Charles Hewitt
Harold Audet*	Harris Richardson
Thomas Johnson*	Donald Gibbs
Theodore Bergmann*	Roger Conant
Richard Merrill*	Woodbury Smith
William Griffith	David Faulkner
	Edwin Murphy

JANUARY HONOR ROLL

Adrian Hasse*	Edwin Murphy
Thomas Johnson*	Harris Richardson
Edwin Sheffield*	Woodbury Smith
Robert Lyle*	William Griffith
Harold Audet*	Dana Jones
Charles Hewitt	Brooks Merritt
Richard Merrill*	Hugh Byfield
Theodore Bergmann*	Melvin Salwen

ROSTER OF THE CLASS OF 1936

As a feature of this issue of *THE ARCHON*, the Alumni Editors are glad to present the following addresses and information of members of the Class of 1936.

James Adams, Williams College, Williamstown.

R. Morgan Batten, Williams College, Williamstown. Playing on freshman basketball team.

John S. Benton, 93 Crofut Street, Pittsfield. Working for the General Electric Company.

Hans Bosenius, Johannstrasse 36, Kiel Gaarten, Ger.

George W. Bovenizer, Jr., Phi Gamma Delta House, Amherst. Out for cross-country and winter track.

David Burke, Bard College, Annandale-On-Hudson, New York.

Martin Busch, Williams College, Williamstown.

Edward L. Chapin, Jr., Sanford Riley Hall, Worcester Polytechnic Institute, Worcester. A member of Theta Upsilon Omega Fraternity.

Frederick Cool, 19 Pleasant Street, Manchester.

Paul H. Comins, Park Manor South, Babson Institute, Babson Park, Mass. Out for basketball.

Charles W. Earnshaw, Prospect House, Brown University, Providence, R. I. Pledged to Phi Gamma Delta Fraternity.

Donald B. Estey, 12th Street & Spencer Avenue, Philadelphia, Penna. President of the freshman class at Pennsylvania State College of Optometry and member of Omega Delta Fraternity.

Richard P. Floyd, 511 Comstock Avenue, Syracuse, N. Y. Played on the Syracuse University freshman football team; member of Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity.

Dudley B. Follansbee, 28 The Fenway, Boston. Member of Phi Gamma Delta at M. I. T.; alternate on the freshman relay team and manager of freshman track.

David Foss, M. I. T., Cambridge. On Dean's list for high scholastic standing.

Marvin Fox, 117 Riverside Drive, Binghamton, N. Y. Working for the Corning Glass Works.

Richard H. Francis, Park Manor South, Babson Institute, Babson Park, Mass. On the varsity basketball team.

Fred Fuld, Dartmouth College, Hanover, N. H.

Aaron Goodale, Jr., 412 Lincoln Street, Worcester.

Percy A. Goodale, Jr., 65 Kirby Street, Boston. Vice President of The Goodale Company, Inc.

Adolf F. Haffenreffer, Sigma Nu House, Lehigh University, Bethlehem, Penna. Out for football and wrestling teams.

Robert Hale, Delta Psi House, Rhode Island State College, Kingston, R. I. Captain of the freshman football team.

Charles Hanson, Jr., 15 Hepburn Hall, Middlebury College, Middlebury, Vermont. Member of Mountain Club, Flying Club, and Radio Club.

David Harris, Amherst College, Amherst.

Donald Hastings, 8 North Prospect Street, Amherst. Out for freshman basketball and intermural cross-country at Amherst, and member of Theta Xi Fraternity.

Edwin R. Hatheway, Jr., 77 Linden Street, Allston.

Francis J. Hearn, 190 University Place, Buffalo, N. Y. Working on *The Buffalo Times*.

Julian Hess, Wigglesworth D-12, Cambridge. On the Harvard freshman swimming squad, and the debating council.

Alexander Hunt, 205 Glenwood Avenue, Yonkers, N. Y. Working for the stock brokerage house of S. B. Chapin Co.

Stafford King, Dartmouth College, Hanover, N. H.

Parker A. Kitchell, 4 North College, Amherst College, Amherst. Member of Alpha Delta Phi Fraternity.

Walter Loeman, Delta Upsilon House, Brunswick, Maine. Played on the freshman football team at Bowdoin.

Thomas H. Logan, Jr., Atlantic Road, Swampscott. Working for the General Foods Corporation.

Richard A. McGillicuddy, 28 High Street, Turners Falls. Working in Greenfield.

Robert V. McMenimen, 16 Dickenson Street, Princeton, N. J. At Princeton University.

John B. Mensing, Hepburn Hall, Middlebury College, Middlebury, Vermont. Member of Mountain Club, Aviation Club, German Club.

Albert Mitchell, 27 O'Kane Hall, Holy Cross College, Worcester. Member of Glee Club, Riding Club, Debating Club, and Sodality.

Thomas E. Nathan, 372 Moraine Road, Highland Park, Illinois. Attending Northwestern University.

Rupert Neily, Jr., Box 68, Springfield College, Springfield. On the freshman football team.

David Poor, Rollins College, Winter Park, Florida.

Thomas Sander, Jr., Williams College, Williamstown.

Cordis Sargent, 4 Williams Hall, Williams College, Williamstown. On the chess team and member of Delta Psi Fraternity.

Benjamin Stewart, Dartmouth College, Hanover.

Willard Voorhees, Princeton Univ., Princeton, N. J.

James Walsh, Jr., 1508 Massachusetts Avenue, Lexington. Attending Boston University School of Business.

George H. Watson, 216 Randolph Avenue, Milton.

John C. Wells, 52 Thayer Hall, Harvard College, Cambridge. Member of Stamp Club and out for track.

Bradley Wickwire, Mercersburg Academy, Mercersburg, Penna. On the soccer team and gym team.

David B. Williams, 52 Thayer Hall, Harvard College, Cambridge. Vice President of the Harvard Republican Club.

Joseph Williamson, 6 Lehman Hall, Williams College, Williamstown. Out for golf and intermural basketball; member of Delta Kappa Epsilon

Frederick L. Zins, 8 North Prospect Street, Amherst. Member of Amherst freshman basketball team.

MEMBERS OF '36 CLASS WRITE
OF REACTIONS TO COLLEGE LIFE

Asked by THE ARCHON to write about their reactions to college life, several college freshmen from the class of 1936 have sent in comments on student life in various colleges.

*Freshman on His Own at Harvard;
Must Plan Studies*

Writing from Harvard, Jim Hess emphasizes the problem which confronts a freshman in handling his scholastic work. "Undoubtedly the most striking feature of college life is the complete freedom with which his new alma mater greets the freshman. The boy is entirely responsible unto himself to meet his freshly imposed requirements. The first tests in most freshman courses at Harvard come the first week in November: the courses begin the first week in October, and a month of poorly allotted time, misguided preparation, or failure to prepare may mean serious difficulties and possibly probation at the end of the month.

"The pace is faster than in school. Assignments are given over longer periods of time, and in reading courses much more material has to be read in less time, and a more detailed knowledge is expected a month or two later. The teachers are primarily interested in the subjects they teach; while at a preparatory school they would seem to be interested in the boys first and their subjects second, and this difference in point of view makes their approach to teaching quite different.

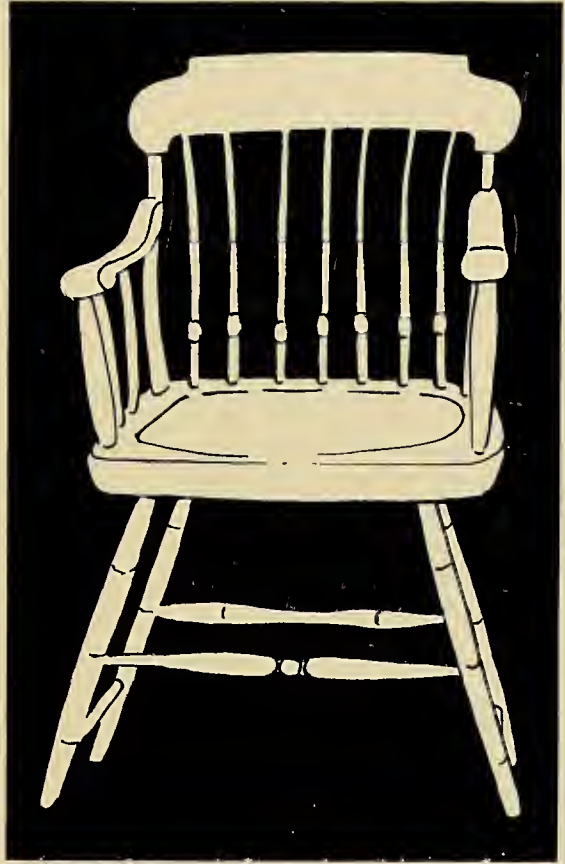
In spite of college freedom and worldliness, most people looking back at their school days cannot help but feel that the college would be made better by adopting, if it could, something of the teacher-and-boy relationship common to the best kind of boarding school life."

*Fraternity Problem Must Be Met
Sensibly at College*

Bill Earnshaw, writing from Brown, discusses as follows the "rather queer feeling" a freshman has about fraternities:

"Among the many things that the freshman who is starting out for college has to worry and think about is the matter of fraternities. Of course, the scholastic part is of much greater importance as far as staying in college is concerned, but that is momentarily forgotten in the enthusiasm for fraternity life.

"I know that for the most part all the candidates feel a rather queer feeling when they first get to college, and about the first thought that they get is whether they will be able to make any friends. As soon as that stage has passed, they begin to wonder if any of the



MASTER MOODY'S CHAIR

One of the most interesting antiques which the school owns is the old maple Windsor chair in the Mansion House living room. This chair belonged to Samuel Moody, the eccentric and brilliant teacher who became the first Master of the Academy in 1763.

An engraved plate on the back of the chair is inscribed:

CHAIR USED BY SAMUEL MOODY, A. M.
FIRST MASTER OF
GOVERNOR DUMMER ACADEMY
1763 - 1790

PRESENTED BY THE MISSES CAROLINE L.
AND HARRIOT W. CODMAN

This drawing was made by Edgar Sergeant of the Sketching I class.

fraternities will ask them to join, and 'just how should I go about getting in? Shall I bring out all my prep school letters and show the boys that I was All-East Buttrville half-back, or would it be better merely to act myself? Then, on the other hand, I could always be the quiet type that goes into a corner and waits for the crowd to single him out for his own worth.' For all this nonsense there is only one thing I can think of to suggest that might be of some help to you next year. That is; relax, and let the fraternities do the worrying."

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EDITORIAL

The editors are dedicating this issue of THE ARCHON to the Class of 1936. During the past year, the Alumni have showed more active interest in the school than ever before. Scarcely a week goes by but several recent graduates come back to dinner, or tea, or to spend a night in the Mansion House.

In this first alumni issue, we have compiled a roster of the members of the class of 1936 in the hope that the members of the class will find it not only of interest but also of use to them in the matter of correspondence.

This year the school inaugurated the idea of having teams representing the alumni play the school teams, and we are pleased that the experiment has proved to be a success.

Alumni are always welcome at the School, and it is the hope of everyone that boys will return more and more for visits, whether they be long or for a brief call only.

Therefore, to the ever-increasing number of men to whom this school looks with pride—the Alumni of Governor Dummer—and especially to the Class of 1936, we respectfully dedicate this issue.

H. F. C.

More Briefly

Mr. William A. Lang, for many years a Trustee of Governor Dummer, died at his Melrose home on January 9th. Mr. Lang was instrumental in building the Academy's gymnasium which bears his name.

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Mr. Walter H. Kilham, the school architect who designed the new building, talked at the evening meeting on January 19th. A collection of Mr. Kilham's watercolor sketches have been on exhibition in the dining room, and the artist explained his interest in painting as a hobby.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Duncan Phillips are spending the winter in Pasadena, California where Mr. Phillips is resting after a recent illness.

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Mr. Phillips has presented to the school an interesting little book, printed in 1804 at Newburyport, entitled *Debtor's Monitor, Directory and Comfort: or, The way to get and keep out of Debt*, by Samuel Moody, M. A. The Reverend Samuel Moody of Wells, Maine, was the father of Master Samuel Moody, first "Preceptor" of the Academy from 1763 to 1790. "Faithful" Moody, as he was called, gives many quotations from the Bible to show that owing debts is an undesirable situation, and several more quotations to illustrate ways of avoiding it.

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On Sunday afternoon, January 10th, Mr. Irving Vaughan, Assistant Director of Camp Wyanoke, spoke to the ski team and other members of the student body in the Noyes Library. Mr. Vaughan showed several reels of movies illustrating ski technique and a movie short of a ski race down Mt. Rainier.

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The Camera Club has an exhibition of photographs by members of the club and guest exhibitors on display in the Noyes Library. Candid camera shots are a feature of the large collection which has been arranged by Mr. Morey Eames. Boys represented include Frederick Lovejoy, Richard Phippen, Benjamin Joy, and Putnam Flint.

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Headmaster Eames received an English bicycle as a Christmas present from the boys in the school. The gift was presented by Richard Curtis at the last school meeting before the Christmas vacation. Mrs. Eames received a set of eight place plates.

A BYFIELD ODYSSEY - Part 2

BY LESLIE LACEY

(Continued from the last issue)

The bridge crossing the Parker River near Byfield is strewn with paper. This is the right way, young man, but you are far from home. The dismal ruins on your right, with their up-lifted chimney, are the remains of the first incorporated woollen mill in Massachusetts. The Schofield brothers, in 1794, were responsible for turning out the first rolls of wool carded by machinery in the United States. Because at that time the English would not allow the exportation of machinery for wool to America, the ingenious brothers took apart a carding appliance in England, sent part of it to Charlestown labelled "agricultural machinery," and sent the rest to Salem.

Colonial Industries Had Beginnings In School Vicinity

The pieces were put together in the stable of "Lord" Timothy Dexter, an eccentric Newburyport character. Many years ago Dexter wrote a book without any punctuation in it. Upon being criticised, this worthy put his marks of punctuation all on the last page of the book, instructing the reader to sprinkle them throughout the work—"salt and pepper to your taste."

The first cut-nail factory flourished in a room of the woollen mill sometime after 1795. Mr. Jacob Perkins, "the Edison of his time," devised the method of manufacture.

Sixty years later, furniture was constructed in the nail factory room by Henry Durant, a master at the Academy. In 1853 Durant went west to Berkeley, California, and founded the University of California.

Thurlow's Bridge Over Parker River Once A Toll Bridge

Across that baffling labyrinth of intersections, past the house of Theodore Roosevelt's Secretary of the Navy, William Moody, and you are still in sacred territory. Here is the site of the dwelling of an ancestor of the poet Longfellow. Plowed fields are difficult to run across, especially when there are brambles to be cut through, but a haven is in sight where lives a kind friend to all Academy boys. The ancestors of Mr. George Adams put up their house on land bought from Henry Sewall

progenitor of the Chief Justice. The toils of a paper chase runner are nothing when compared with those of the father and his three sons who left Mr. Adams' doorway to go to the Civil War.

The yapping of the dog which so often plagues cross-country men—never a welcome sound before—announces that Thurlow's Bridge is near, an honorable vehicle over which to pass to the homeward stretch. Richard Thorlay was allowed, in 1654, to build a bridge at his own expense, so he chose a point at which he could make falling timber span the river. He was permitted to charge 2d. apiece for horses, cows, and oxen using his bridge, but there could be no charge for persons.

The first ship to float down the Parker to the sea was *The Beginning*, built in 1677. It was constructed above Thurlow's Bridge, somewhere near the Caldwell farm, and on the way downstream it smashed into the bridge, which was promptly rebuilt. Further repairs were made in 1680, and since that date there has been no toll of any kind.

Academy Students Staged First "Battle" Of American Revolution

The "first battle of the American Revolution," according to tradition, was fought on Thurlow's Bridge. It was a two-man fight between two students of the Academy, David Ochterlony—later to be a Major General in the British army and one of the founders of the East India Company's Indian Empire—and Edward Preble, who cleaned out the Barbary pirates with the United States navy. Ochterlony was, of course, the royalist.

Down the back road toward the Academy pounds the tired runner—past the Boynton place on the right. Here lived Rufus King and Edward Preble during their student days.

Venus is resting in the cradle of the moon, and the bright evening cloud settles behind Sunset Hill as the youthful Odysseus, in his last weary strides, nearly bumps into his last landmark, our venerable Milestone. Perhaps the Milestone is weary, too, having served faithfully on the Old Turnpike from 1708 until 1803, when the new road was built which passes by at a distance. Or is the old stone merely sleeping, now that her road is no more?

TEAMS ACTIVE IN WINTER SPORTS

AUSTIN-CATE CONQUERED IN COURT SEASON OPENER

The 1937 Governor Dummer basketball season opened on Saturday evening, January 16th, with a 35 to 22 victory over Austin-Cate Academy. Although it was the first game and the team had been practicing only a little more than a week, the boys played well, especially in the first half at the end of which the Governors led, 23 to 7.

In the first half the team play was exceptionally good on the offense, with Ed Donnelly and Charlie Callanan leading the attack. The combination play of the first five was good, and as a result the plays from the set offence clicked.

In the second half the boys appeared to be over-anxious to score, and due to this fact the ball handling was a bit loose. On the defense, however, the team distinguished itself by forcing the opponents to take all kinds of shots off balance. Russ Simons repeatedly intercepted passes and prevented Austin-Cate from increasing its score.

The line-up: Callanan, r.f., Lawler, l.f., Donnelly, c., Carver, r.g., Simons, l.g. Substitutions: Dewey, Mortimer, Connelly, Carpenter.

ACADEMY QUINTET NOSES OUT STRONG ALUMNI TEAM, 38-35

The basketball team won its second game here on Saturday evening, January 23d, by turning back the Alumni, 38 to 35. The game was close and fast all the way through.

Mike Lawler opened the scoring in the first quarter, and additions by Donnelly and Callanan boosted the score to nine points, while Captain Navins, of the Alumni team, who seemed to be everywhere at once, and his mates tallied seven points.

In the second quarter, Donnelly and Navins continued their basket-scoring battle, and the period was featured by Dick Francis' trick basket, scored from a tip-off. At the half the score was 23 to 20 for the undergraduates.

Carver, Donnelly and Lawler scored in the third period as their older opponents slumped a little under the strain, and not until the last of the fourth quarter did the ancients go into a scoring spree which threatened the school-boys' lead, which stood 38 to 35 at the finish.

When interviewed after the game, Alumni Captain Navins attributed the victory of the undergraduates to superior team work and coaching.

Captains Donnelly and Navins were the high scorers, piling up 19 and 18 points respectively. Russ Simons did a fine job in his difficult assignment of covering Mr. Navins.

Governors	Pts.		Alumni	Pts.
Callanan	4	r.f.	Navins '31	18
Lawler	10	l.f.	Kerr '34	2
Donnelly	19	c.	Francis '36	8
Simons	1	l.g.	Murphy '34	5
Carver	4	r.g.	Goodale '36	0
Hoague	0	l.f.	Mulaken '35	2
38			35	

GOVERNORS LOSE TO SHARP SHOOTING DEERFIELD FIVE

On January 30th, the basketball team travelled to Deerfield to play the Deerfield Academy team. Although the Governors played a fine game they were entirely out-classed by the rangy, sharp-shooting Deerfield boys. The score of 48-18 indicates a poorer game than it really was.

At the end of the first quarter the score stood at 7-2 against the Governors. Both teams were missing shots, but the play was aggressive at all times. During the second period the Deerfield boys found their range for the basket, and the result was a 21-7 lead at half-time. However, the Governors were playing a brand of ball which was admirable, and the lead was a result of long angle shots, difficult to break up.

The Governors opened the second half with two quick baskets, and these were immediately followed by two baskets by Deerfield. Toward the latter part of the third period and throughout the fourth, the Deerfield team gave a marvelous exhibition of shooting.

Captain Donnelly had the difficult assignment of holding Norris the Deerfield star in check, and did a wonderful job in spite of the fact that Norris made ten points. Time and again he made Norris hurry his shots which prevented him from scoring. Offensively, Ed was the star, and Joe Hoague played an excellent game, particularly in view of the fact that he was playing his first full game of basketball for Governor Dummer. All in all, the Governors should be highly complimented for the brand of ball that they displayed. Their

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spirit was marvelous throughout the entire game, and they did not let up their aggressive playing at any time in the game. Deerfield has a marvelous team and is probably the best team that the Governors will have to face all season.

The score:

Governors	G.	F.	P.		Deerfield	G.	F.	P.
Callanan ..	0	0	0	r.f.	Reed	7	4	18
Lawler	0	1	1	l.f.	Norris	5	0	10
Hoague	3	0	6	c.	Smythe	3	0	6
Simons	1	1	3	l.g.	Ehrg'd	2	2	6
Donnelly ..	3	2	8	r.g.	Harris	3	2	8
Carver	0	0	0	r.g.				
	7	4	18			20	8	48

FIVE DEFEATS LAWRENCE 31-24 AS DONNELLY STARS

Governor Dummer returned to the win column in defeating Lawrence Academy here on Wednesday afternoon, February 3d, 31 to 24. The Governors got off to a fast start and piled up a 21 to 10 lead at half-time, with Mike Lawler and Captain Ed Donnelly setting the pace.

Although the Governors did not have such stiff competition in the second half, they did not score as easily as in the first half. However, defensively Charlie Callanan, Joe Hoague, and Russ Simons repeatedly intercepted passes and played heads-up basketball.

The game in general was spotty, with the team showing occasional flashes of fine play and also spells of ragged ball handling.

Governors	G.	F.	P.		Lawrence	G.	F.	P.
Callanan ..	0	0	0	r.f.	Waldron ..	2	0	4
Lawler ...	4	1	9	l.f.	Duffy	4	0	8
Hoague ...	2	4	8	c.	Harris	3	0	6
Simons	1	1	3	r.g.	Paine	1	0	2
Donnelly ..	5	1	11	l.g.	Fenwick ..	2	0	4
Carver	0	0	0	l.f.	Hagarty ...	0	0	0
Dewey	0	0	0	l.f.				
	12	7	31			12	0	24

WRESTLERS LOSE TO A MORE EXPERIENCED EXETER TEAM

The wrestling team opened its season on Saturday, January 23d, at Exeter, losing to a more experienced team, 26 to 5. Captain Ed Hastings did a fine job in his match, pinning Exeter's 145 lb. Gobson with a bar arm in 1m 50s.

In the 165 lb. class, Charlie Shackelford and his opponent forgot they were amateurs and gave the crowd lots of excitement. Bob Olander encountered an undefeated 175 pounder in the Exeter captain.

GOVERNORS BEAT AMESBURY FOR FIRST HOCKEY VICTORY

In the first hockey game of the season Governor Dummer Academy defeated Amesbury High School by a score of 6 to 2.

In the first period Len Poor scored twice, assisted by Cox. In the second period, Amesbury snapped in a goal, and Poor again scored in a play through defense. In this same period Roger Conant scored a goal with a shot from center.

In the last period Dick Pierce and Robert Cox each scored assisted by Conant. Art Ross, Len Poor, and Roger Conant all played outstandingly well.

Governors	Amesbury H. S.
Ross, A., g	g, Stewart
Curtis, ld	ld, Senechal, A.
Pierce, rd	rd, Tessimond
Conant, c	c, Roy
Cox, R., rw	rw, Senechal, R.
Poor, L., lw	lw, Gould, E.
Substitutes for Governor Dummer: Bean, G. Ellis, Steele, Potter, J. Ross, Olsen, Lees, Van Voorhis.	

HOCKEY TEAM SCORES SECOND VICTORY OVER DOVER, 5-1

On February 6th the Governors defeated the Dover, N. H. High School hockey team here by a score of 5 to 1. Dick Curtis, playing at defense, scored two of the winners' goals. Other scores were made by Bob Cox, Gordon Ellis, and John Ross. Assists were made by Roger Conant, 2; Len Poor, and Rollin Steele.

The team played remarkably well, showing more team work than ever before. The two goals made by Curtis with assists from Conant were noteworthy since they were made by the second line. Several different plays worked well, and the Governors managed to keep the puck on the opponents' side of the blue line most of the time. Dick Pierce played unusually well at defense.

Governors	Dover H. S.
Cox, R., rw	rw, Fogarty
Poor, lw	lw, Sheehan
Conant, c	c, Perkins
Pierce, ld	ld, Causer
Curtis, rd	rd, McCrone
Ross, A., g	g, Peterman
Alternates for Governor Dummer: Lees, G. Ellis, Steele, Bean, J. Ross.	

RESERVE HOOPSTERS LOSE

Governor Dummer's second basketball team's first game resulted in a decisive defeat at the hands of the Haverhill Trade School on Saturday, January 30th. Cleaveland and Somerby scored highest for the Governors. The final score was 42 to 14.

SKI TEAM TAKES PART IN
WINTER SPORTS CARNIVAL

A group of five boys and Mr. Iglehart attended the Winter Carnival at Kimball Union Academy, Meriden, New Hampshire, on February 6th. The Governors scored one point in the ski meet, with Sheldon Harris placing fourth in the jumps, while Kimball Union won with a total of 31 points.

Both Dick Hannah and Harris broke their skis in the races. In spite of the low score, the boys enjoyed the experience and the hospitality of Kimball Union.

The boys who competed were: Jack Bell, Sheldon Harris, Minott Hubbell, Fred Brehm, and Dick Hannah.

TEAM LOSES TO HARVARD '41
IN CLOSE BASKETBALL GAME

On Saturday evening February 6th, the Governor Dummer basketball team lost a fast and close contest to the undefeated Harvard Freshmen team, 51 to 39. The score in no way indicates the closeness of the game for the score was fluctuating back and forth in favor of both teams. The Governors did the majority of their scoring in the second and third periods coming from 6 to 7 at the end of the first quarter to 20 to 25 at the half. The home team did a fine job in coming back in the second half to make it 33 to 34 as the third chapter closed.

Joe Hoague and Russ Simons were out of the game in the final period, and Harvard sank seventeen points in their absence. Credit goes to the entire team for showing fine, clean, and scrappy playing. Ed Donnelly and Russ Simons were high scorers for the Governors, and Legg and Lutz led the Harvard scoring.

Governors	G.	F.	P.		Harvard	G.	F.	P.
Callanan ..	3	0	6	r.f.	Legg	6	2	14
Lawler ...	1	1	3	l.f.	Lutz	7	0	14
Hoague ...	2	1	5	c.	White	3	4	10
Donnelly ..	6	5	17	l.g.	Maguire ...	2	0	4
Simons	3	2	8	r.g.	Kathe	1	1	3
				r.g.	Cordingly .	3	0	6
15 9 39					22 7 51			

Substitutions for Governor Dummer: Mortimer, Neily.

WRESTLERS LOSE TO HARVARD
FRESHMAN SECONDS BY 20 TO 8

Saturday, February 6th, marked the first home meet of the wrestling, the opponents being Harvard Freshmen Reserves, who won by a score of 20 to 8. Although Captain Ed Hastings could not compete because of injuries, the Governors seemed to be fit.

The matches were eight minutes in length, the first being between Sears of Harvard and Bergmann of Governor Dummer in the 125-pound class. Bergmann won by a fall in 4m. 45s. Bixby lost a hard-fought bout with Webster in the 135-pound class in 3m. 32s. and Hull pinned Charlie Fellows, 145 pounds, in 4m. 20s. Field, with a time advantage of 1m. 55s. won from Wright in the 155-pound class. Bob Olander lost to Lewis, and Daniels of Harvard pinned Grey Emmons in 4m. 5s. in the most spectacular bout of the day. Emmons pinned his opponent twice, but because the heavies were off the mat, the falls did not count.

PUCKSTERS LOSE CLOSE GAME
TO BELMONT HILL IN GARDEN

Playing in the Boston Garden on Tuesday afternoon, February 9th, the school hockey team suffered its first loss of the season at the hands of Belmont Hill School. The score was 3 to 2, with Bob Cox and Roger Conant scoring for the Governors. Art Ross played a strong game at goal, making several spectacular saves. Dick Pierce and John Ross were outstanding, with Ross playing in the first line for the first time.

The team and several members of the faculty were entertained at dinner at the Hotel Manger by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ross, and the group were guests at the hockey game between the Boston Bruins and Montreal in the evening.

Governors	Belmont Hill
Cox, rw	lw, Thomas
Poor, lw	rw, Hulser
Conant, c	c, Claflin
Pierce, rd	ld, Pleasant
Curtis, ld	rd, Tappan
Ross, A., g	g, Kayser
Alternates for Governor Dummer: Lees, G. Ellis, J. Ross, Steele.	

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*Middlebury College Has Much in Common
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Charlie Hanson says that Middlebury, "the College with a mountain campus, is like Governor Dummer in several respects, both being comparatively small and both having spirit and traditions.

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